



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INVENTOR(S) : Joseph A. Marino, et al.  
TITLE : **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
CONDUCTING VISION SCREENING**  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The initial period for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application issued December 19, 2003 expired on February 19, 2004.

The requested extension and appropriate small entity fee are as follows:

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))  | \$740.00 |

☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))

\$1,005.00

A check in the amount of \$210.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

Respectfully submitted,

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